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THURSDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 11.

## PERSONAL

B. J. Smith of Bowie is in the city V. B. Curtis of Chicago is in the city.

Sheriff W. T. Maddox went to Bel-

J. J. Turner is quite sick at his bome on Main street.

N. S. Johnson, a popular travelling man of St. Louis, is in the city. The Misses Preston, two talented young ladies of Paris, are at the Pick-

Mr. and Mrs. G. Burgower were reg-istered at the Pickwick last night. They were recently married in Denison and are just returned from the

bridat tour.

Mr. Dan Kernigan, formerly of Jefferson, arrived in this city yesterday. He will be connected with the wholesale grocery house of Bateman & Bro., and is quite an acquisition to our city.

W. A. Gatner and family have returned from a seven weeks' visit to Devil's lake, Dakota, and Lake Minnetonka, Minn. Mr. Garner reports that Mrs. Garner and children are much improved by the trip. He says be gained in flesh and had the finest kind of a time, fishing in the lakes and enjoying the delightful weather.

Mr. F. Weber Benton, spec'al corre-

Mr. F. Weber Benton, special correspondent and representative of the Missouri Republican, is in the city on business for his paper. It is currently reported that Mr. Benton has purchased the Herald-News office in Denton ison and will take charge October 1.
Mr. B. is a gentleman of fine business
and literary attainments, and any
courtesies extended him by the public
will be duly appreciated.

## LOCALETTES.

The cotton market has fully opened in this city.

The opera-house is being handsomely finished and decorated under the im-mediate supervision of Mrs. Benton.

Messrs. Daggett, Martin & Co. have moved their office into the new brick building near the lower end of Maln

The Fort Worth Building and Loan association held a meeting on Tuesday and loaned out \$1000 at 8 per cent, and \$000 at 13 per cent.

The following persons have been licensed to marry by the county clerk: James Morris to Mrs. Carrie Milier, W. C. Smith to Miss S. A. Blue.

Mrs. Ella Ellington of this city whose lilness was noticed yesterday, died in Atlanta, Texas, early yester-day morning. She was buried at her old home in Douglassville, Cass county.

A party of Northwestern excursion-ists and sight seers, guests of the Gould system, arrived in Fort Worth from the south last night. The party is composed of twenty-four ladies and continues. gentlemen.

An alarm of fire was turned on from box hast night and brought out the entire fire department. It was caused by the explosion of an oil lamp in a house next to Godwin's stable. The flames were extinguished without the aid of the department.

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In Justice Zinn's court: G. F. & A.
H. Tandy vs. T. & P. Railroad company, a suit for damages for \$99.50 for grass and fence burned.

David Jackson vs. T. & P. Railroad company, suit for \$75 damages. Judgment for plaintiff for \$57 for killing a walls.

C. C. Dume vs. Missouri Pacific, for loss of baggage. Judgment for plain-

loss of baggage. Judgment for plain-tiff \$7.50.
C.T. Herring vs. Missouri Pacific, for crippling a steer. \$12 judgment for plaintiff.
G. E. and A. H. Tandy vs. Texas & Pacific Railroad company, for killing to yoke of exen. Judgment for plain-tiff \$45.
District court will second.

District court will convene for the fall term on Monday next.

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We offer to customers generally the following Standard Coals, viz:

THE CELEBRATED MCALLISTER (NATION COAL, THE NOTED BLACK WARRIOR ALABAMA) COAL,

For heating and steam purposes

KANAWHA SPLINT (VIRGINIA) COAL, Equal to English Cannel and specially adapted for grates. Comes in blocks, free from dirt and waste.

WEST VIRGINIA FORGE COAL, Testimonials after trial proves it to be the best Coal for smithing purposes ever brought to this state. Price four to the dollars per ton lower than Forge coal has been selling.

PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE,

For heating purposes WOOD,

In cord length size or sawed and split.

COKE SCREENINGS,

For domestic and steam purposes.

The various kinds of fuel as noted above, will be sold at favorable prices, in large or small quantities as desired, at yard or delivered to any part of the city. Prompiness, fair dealing and full weights guaranteed.

Respectfully,

Fort Worth Gaslight Co. Fuel Department,

Office Smith & Jarvis Block, 511 Houston St.

They Knock at Mr. James Courtright's Door With Pistols in Hand.

One of Them Gets Beat Over the Head With a Pintol by the Officer.

With a Pistol by the Officer.

A negro named Jones was badly beaten over the head last night by Detective James Courtright, and afterward locked up in the calaboose. The circumstances which led to the difficulty are as follows:

Some time ago three white men claiming to hail from New Mexico were in the city and made boasts that they were going to kill Courtright for arresting two horsethieves who were friends of theirs. Courtright heard of this, and with several friends attempted to meet the three men, but they had left the city. The matter was partly forgotten until last night, when Courtright's house was appropriated to consider it.

The memiters manifest a great deal of enthusiasm, and if the city would divide the honors accorded to the Base Ball club, we do not doubt but that a much more gratifying result would be arrived at. With the company fully and improved style of guns they would present an appearance that Fort Worth could justly be proud of.

The following is a list of honorary members elected so far: W. A. Huffman, K. M. VanZandt, Sr., Morgan Jones, B. F. Spencer, J. P. Hughes, J. T. Hickey, O. S. Kennedy, Geo. B. Loving, A. P. Brown, Capt. J. F. Waller, Jon. Capera, J. H. Brown, T. O. Vogel, S. E. Harrison, B. H. Bondurant, Max Elser, C. L. Frost, C. B. Daggett, H. W. Williams. circumstances which led to the difficulty are as follows:

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of his dwelling. Mrs. Courtright answered the knock
and was confronted by two
burly negroes who impudenly
asked where Mr. Courtright was. The
lady told them that her husband was
up town, and seeing they had platels
in their hands, slammed the door in
their faces and ran out the front door,
across the street to a neighbor'a, and
told a boy named Carwile to go up to
the detective head, parters and tell
her husband of the circumstance. The
boy did so and soon found Mr.
Courtright, who at once armed himself with a Winchester rifls and went
home. On arriving there his wife
gave him a description of the negroes
and he set out to look for them. He
knew at once who they were, as he
had been watching them for several
days. He came up with them on the
west side of the public square and one
of them ran off in the darkness. He
knocked the other one down with
his Winchester and as the negro fell a
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The most annualng game of base ball ever played in Fort Worth was that between the Dallas and Fort Worth colored clubs at the base ball park yesterday afternoon. Dallas won by a score of 17 to 8. The club play again this afternoon, the game commencing at 3 o'clock sharp.

The Thalian Social club and the board of directors held a meeting last night in the office of Dr. W. D. M. Mason. The object of the meeting was to take some steps in relation to the formation of a public library. A committee was appointed to confer with the officers of the Ladice' Exposition society and report at the next meeting. The library question is becoming and the Thalians are working very hard to strain the desired end.

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them. Mr. Courtright further states that the horse thieves who were arrested, and which the three white men who which the three white men who were here last week allided to, were arrested by Mr. Sam Farmer when that gentleman was city marshal of Fort Worth, and that the men must have really been looking for Mr. Farmer.

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legro who ran off in the darkness up to a late hour last night, but had not to the cound him. The boy Carwile, who told Mr. Courtright of the affair, guarded the house after the arrival of Courtright until he returned with the information that he had arrested one of the negroes.

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were the instigators of the whole affair have since been arrested in Cleburne as horse-thieves, and that they had employed Jones to kill Mr. Courtright. The officer exercised a good deal of

TWO BLACK SCOUNDRELS the racks, six in number, to be nicely finished.

finished.

The secretary handed in a report on the finances of the company. They being in a satisfactory condition his report was received and adopted.

The resignation of Lieut. Lockett was handed in and laid over for one week, a committee being appointed to consider it.

The menu era manifest a great deal

## A Challenge.

To the Editor of the Cazette. Since the serious defeat of the Fort Worth Base Ball club we hereby chal-lenge the Dallas nine to play us for the championship of Texas September 15, either at Dallas or Fort Worth. SKEETER ROAT

JIM KERRET. (All under 14 years.)

Additional local on fifth page,

Pree Grass Tobacco.

It is the finest brand of plug tobacco in the market. Try it.

Telephone Turner & McClure for a can of bread, a hunk of dried beef and a jar of fresh comb honey.

B. C. Evans Co. have a complete line of Florence silk hose in all staple and fancy shades, which they now offer at \$2.50 per pair. This is from 50c to 75c, less than they have ever been handled in this country. Ladies in search of fine silk hose should not fail to inspect

The sale of furniture on the installment plan by Fakes & Co. has made many homes in this city comfortable that would otherwise have remained bare and cheerless. Almost anyone can have all the comforts of a cosy, weil-furnished house by investing a few dollars a week with Fakes & Co. for furniture bought on the installment plan. In its practical working it has pian. In its practical working it has proven a blessing to salaried men, and Fakes & Co. have kept up their trade to the regulation standard by its adop-tion.

## IN BRIEF.

At a bargain, on account of departure, the well-known C. H. Ginocchio's saloon, 100 Front street, with all restaurant attach-

## Homes and Investments.

militrary.

Meeting of the Quees City Light Guards Last Night.

The company was called to order at the usual hour, Capt. Smoot in the chair.

Pelitions of C. L. Norris and J. T. Holcomb for membership were handed in and referred to the committee on applications, to be reported on at next meeting.

The committee upon uniform being called, further time was requested, as they had not had time to hear from the several houses they had written to in regard to uniforming the company, it having been decided by unanimous consent of firemedies to secure uniforms as soon as pessible.

The committee on gun racks reported for constructing some awarded to Me-srs. Moody & Emory, who served to furri-h a line quality of California weed to be used as material,

Wext Monday and Theseday aftermoons, at 2 p. m. September 15 and 19, David Boaz's great lot auction will be made. A number of lots in incoms, at 2 p. m. September 15 and 19, David Boaz's great lot auction will be made. A number of lots in incoms, at 2 p. m. September 15 and 19, David Boaz's great lot auction will be made. A number of lots in incoms, at 2 p. m. September 15 and 19, David Boaz's great lot auction will be made. A number of lots in incoms at each them are also dended by income at the usual base already been sold to persons intending to improve them well (Glendale is conveniently situated, being upward to \$300 About shalf of the remaining ones will be offered; perhaps they will sell equally low. Of Rosedale which comprises forty-six acres, likewise conveniently situated, being directly on the Rosedale line now about completed, and near the old line street cars, we sold more than half within forty days after deeds were made to us, at prices very low it is true (yet the Rosedale line was not even begun). Single lots 500 afterwards, and quarter block 200x100 each, (each quarter block is true (yet the Rosedale line was not even begun). Single lots 500 afterwards, and quarter block is true (yet the Rosedale line was not even begun). Single lots 500 afterwards, and

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Houston Street, Fort Worth, Texas.

Strictly First-class.

Best Medium-price Piano Made.

FACTORY PRICES DUPLICATED

A Number of Secondhand Pianos Cheap!

COLORED GAMBLERS.

Officer Thomason Makes a Big Scoop-One of Them Found Guilty in the Recorder's Court.

Monday afternoon about 4 o'clock Officer J. W. Thomason had his suspicion aroused that there was gambling in progress in a house which was formerly used as a gambling house, back of the Santa Fe saloon, corner of Main and Twelfth streets. Watching his chance he forced his way in and found three colored men sitting at a table, seemingly engaged in a game of cards called monte. Their names are Bill Sanford, Cal Smith and Ed Mahoney. Sanford seemed to be in the act of dealing and had a large amount of money in front of him. The others were players. The officer arrested the three of them and observed them. three of them and placed them under bonds at the recorder's court. In about half an hour the same officer started on a single handed raid to a room over on a single handed raid to a room over a barber shop next to Duke & Routh's salcon on Houston street, and found the room full of colored men, with one of them called Sid Gillion sitting behind a table dealing. When the officer made his appearance the whole crowd made a break and jumped out of the second-story window on Houston street, leaving Gillion, the dealer, to stand the racket. Mr. Thomason found about thirty dollars on the table in front of the dealer, and a pack of monte cards. monte cards.

monte cards.

Yesterday afternoon these cases were called in the city recorder's court. Cal Smith was first placed on trial, and calling for a jury, S. W. Wilks, E. W. Morten, R. C. Hadley, J. H. Iverson, B. K. Coffman and W. M. Bell were impaneled, and after hearing the evidence found the defendant not guilty. From the evidence the prosecution failed to prove that Cal Smith had been betting at a gambling game when arrested. Bill Sanford was then tried with the following jury: B. B. Walker, W. H. Harris, S. Y. Burr, E. Leifer, E. W. Morten and R.C. Hadley, who found the defendant guilty and assessed a fine of \$10 against him. The other two cases were postponed until to-day.

Dried beef chipped to order at Tur-ner & McClure's.

One piano for rent. Apply to Mrs. C. D. Brown.

A car load of select lemons just re-ceived at the wholesale grocery house of J. H. Brown,

Brillient lisle gloves, eight buttoned length in new coloring, 75 cents.

B. C. Evans Co.

Telephone Turner & McClure for a sample box of canned bread,

J. H. Brown is prepared to fill or-ders for lemons in any quantity de-B. C. Evans Co. show the finest assortment of satin, gros grain and otto-man ribbons to be found in the South-

west, which they offer at prices sure to obtain. The latest thing out is canned bread. Ask Turner & McClure to send you a

sample can.

Schooner Beer,

Ice cold, at the Red Llon. Free lunch at 10 to 11:30 a.m. and at 11 p.m.
J. P. LEAVERTON, Manager. Wanted.

A first-class buggy horse. Apply to Dr. H. W. Moore, on First street, near

Boys' star shirt waist in sizes from four to twelve years, a lovely line of Madrae patterns, percale effects, and plain white shown by B. C. Evans Co. at prices to insure quick sales.

Order a chunk of dried beef from Turner & McClure.

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We would refer by permission to the following gentlemen, citizens of fullying. M. B. Loyd, President First National Hank; R. E. Maddox, Cuy As easy at its Mess. Itsil & all Carl. Afterneys at Law; A. M. Britton, President in Sakai M. Van Zendt, President Fort Worth National Bank; W. J. Boxe, President For Worth National Bank; W. J. Boxe, President This lies itsition, though patronized by all classes, especially appeals to the close s, and others of small means; beads of farm less, single men, clerks, while all can find a safe deposite for their anypius carnings, however small.

How to Buy.

The question how to buy furniture while money is so scarce, is answered by Fakes & Co. in their offer to sell anything from a dressing pole to a complete bed-room set on the install-ment plan, and by taking advantage of this offer many persons of limited means have been to furnish their houses in a handsome manner during the dullest season of the year.

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Fort Worth Grocer Co., Sucessors to Spencer & Tucker, Grocets, Wholesale Produce and Com-mission Merchants.

Attention is called to the lemon advertisement of J. H. Brown in this

Jones, jeweler, 302 Houston street. Fresh comb-honey at Turner & Mc-

Dr. Hartley's South American cure at Hotel Pickwick. E. M. Rowe, agent.

For Sale.

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On the sixth page of this issue will be found the lemon advertisement of J. H. Brown.

Pickwick Laundry. New management. Fine w Prompt delivery. Telephone 200. work.

Lost.

A Knight 'Templar's charm, with double eagle and name of 'Chas. S. Morse' on it. Finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving same at Pickwick hotel.

Comb-honey, fresh from the country, at Turner & McClure's. If you want a clear Havana cheroot call for the Pianters', they are the original others are imitations.

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